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IN RE APPLICATION OF :  
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SERIAL NO: 10/785,060 :  
FILED: FEBRUARY 25, 2004 : GROUP ART UNIT: 1615  
FOR: METHOD FOR PROVIDING :  
ANTIMICROBIAL COMPOSITE YARNS,  
COMPOSITE FABRICS AND ARTICLES  
MADE THEREFROM :

AMENDMENT

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS  
ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA 22313

SIR:

In response to the Office Action dated September 15, 2008, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 6 of this paper.